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**REQUEST FOR ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF INFORMATION DISCLOSURE  
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Sir:

In reviewing the above-captioned application file upon allowance, the undersigned has noted that PTO Form-1449, submitted on October 20, 2003, has not been acknowledged by the Patent and Trademark Office.

In the Office Action dated 02/09/2005, it was stated that the information disclosure statement filed on 10/20/2003 failed to provide a list of all patents, publications and other information. It is respectfully submitted that this is incorrect as evidenced by the copy of the dated post card which was returned from the USPTO and which shows that a form PTO-1449 and two references were in fact received. A copy of the form PTO-1449 which has apparently been misplaced with the USPTO, is also enclosed.

Inasmuch as the copies of US Patents are not required and copies of the two EP references have been indicated (in the office action dated 02/09/2003) as having been placed in the file, it is submitted that the PTO should have no difficulty in reviewing the three references in question, and making them of record.

The Patent Office is courteously requested to consider the three references which are listed on the attached copy of PTO-1449 and return a copy of the initialed form to the undersigned as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

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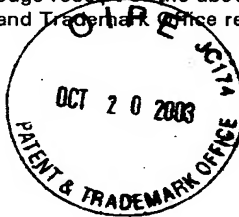
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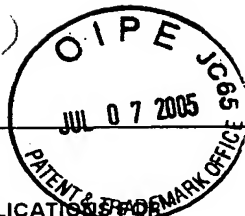
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